2. All tenders should be sealed, registered and superscribed as follows :—

"Tenders for carting timber from the forest to be centres," and they should be accompanied with currency notes or pro-notes to the value of Rs. 50 for each forest which will be returned after the tenders are examined.

3. Tenders will be received by the Forest officer, Mysore district, up to 31st October 1896.

4. The intending contractors must, in the event of their tendering for carting from more than one of the above named forests specify the lowest rates at which they offer to cart the timber from each of such forest separately to the centres mentioned opposite to them. The rate offered per cubic foot must be noted.

5. The successful contractor or contractors will be required to bind himself or themselves to cart to the centres the total quantity mentioned above within the 15th of January 1897.

6. Each successful tenderer, on acceptance of his tender will deposit a sum of Rs. 100 for each forest for carting for which his tender might be accepted as security for the due performance of the several conditions of his contract. In the event of failure to fulfil any of the above aforesaid conditions, the amount of security will be forfeited to Government.

7. The contractor shall be required to conform strictly to such sules and regulations as may be laid down by the District Forest officer during the fire season.

8. The District Forest officer does not bind himself to accept any or lowest tender, and such acceptance shall be subject to the sanction of the Conservator of Forests.

9. The intending contractor will have to make his own arrangements for carting as the department is not bound to make any roadways or cart-tracks, and no excuse in this behalf will be accepted for the non-carting of wood.

10. Any further information required by intending contractors may be had on application to the Forest office, Mysore.

M. G. RAMA RAO,
District Forest Officer, Mysore district.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Notice, dated 21st September 1896.

A reward of Rs. 25 is offered by one Narayanajaya Rao, Classer, Survey Department, residing in new Taragupet, Bangalore City, for any information that may lead to the recovery of the following property which was stolen from his house on the 6th September 1896 :—

		Rs.	a.	p.
1.	A lace bordered, red pitambra (silk cloth) used for females ..	100	0	0
2.	A charkhani sadi with red borders	22	0	0
3.	A silver cup of Poona make, weighing about 16½ tolas	19	0	0
4.	A silver spoon of Poona make, weighing about Rs. 6-11-0 ..	8	4	0
5.	Two silver cups weighing about Rs. 11-10-0	14	0	0
6.	A silver ordinary cup weighing about Rs. 4	4	0	0
7.	A set of kalungra or toe-rings weighing about Rs. 14	14	0	0
8.	A silver zone or dabu weighing about Rs. 16 .. .	16	0	0
9.	A pure gold octagon finger-ring weighing about 1 tola	28	0	0
10.	A pure gold seal-ring weighing about ¾ tola	18	0	0
11.	A new panche of Salem make	4	0	0
12.	A laced red shawl	15	0	0
13.	Two gold jomale beads weighing about Re. 0-1-0	1	4	0
14.	Twelve or 16 gold ordinary beads	8	0	0
15.	Silver waist beads used for children, stringed with black-silk thread ..	8	0	0
16.	A silver snuff box weighing about Rs. 2	4	0	0
17.	Divasi Mangalagauri, &c., weighing about Rs. 8	8	0	0
18.	Three cholis	3	0	0
	Total ..	294	8	0

D. A. BALLARD, *Asst. Supt. of Police.*

Notice, dated 8th October 1896.

A reward of Rs. 100 is offered by Mr. P. Palamji, Mail Tonga contractor, residing in Mysore, for any information leading to the recovery of the undermentioned Currency Note which was stolen from him on the 10th September last and the detection and conviction of the offender or offenders.

No. $\frac{T}{54}$ 80069, dated 9th July 1892, of the Madras Circle, for Rs. 500.

C. HAUDIN, *Supt. of Police, Mysore Dt.*